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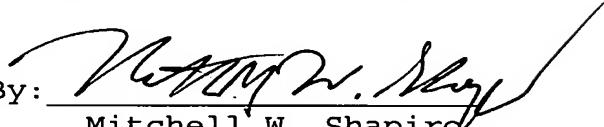
This Amendment is responsive to the Office Action dated May 4, 2005.

In reply to the restriction requirement, Applicant elects the invention of Group I (Claims 1-11) for examination. Newly presented Claim 19 is dependent from Claim 1 and should therefore be examined with Claims 1-11.

Applicant reserves the right to present the non-elected claims in a divisional application.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge to Deposit Account No. 50-1165 any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this paper and to credit any overpayment to that Account. If any extension of time is required in connection with the filing of this paper and has not been requested separately, such extension is hereby requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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